IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEW JERSEY

TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICAL
COMPANY LIMITED, TAKEDA
PHARMACEUTICALS NORTH AMERICA,
INC., TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICALS
LLC, TAKEDA PHARMACEUTICALS
AMERICA, INC., and ETHYPHARM, S.A.,
Plaintiffs and Counterclaim-Defendants,
v.

ZYDUS PHARMACEUTICALS (USA) INC.
and CADILA HEALTHCARE LIMITED,
Defendants and Counterclaim-Plaintiffs.

THIS MATTER having come before the Court upon the motion of Plaintiffs-Counterclaim-Defendants Takeda Pharmaceutical Company Limited, Takeda Pharmaceuticals North America, Inc., Takeda Pharmaceuticals LLC, and Takeda Pharmaceuticals America, Inc., (collectively, "Takeda") pursuant to Local Rule 5.3(c) to seal the following documents, which were electronically filed on September 28, 2012 (collectively, the "Subject Material"):

- A. Memorandum of Law in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion in Limine to Preclude Evidence of Zydus' New Particle Size Testing of Newly-Manufactured Granules (D.I. 232);
- B. Exhibits 1-7 to the Declaration of Arlene L. Chow in support of same (D.I. 232);
- C. Memorandum of Law in Support of Plaintiffs' Motion in Limine to Preclude Expert Testimony on Invalidity Portions of the Rebuttal Expert Report by Dr. Harry Brittain (D.I. 234); and

D. Exhibits A and B to the Declaration of Arlene L. Chow in support of same (D.I.

And the Court having considered the written submissions of the parties, and having determined that this action involves allegations requiring the disclosure of confidential and proprietary information, and the Court being satisfied of the following:

- 1. This is a complex patent case requiring discovery of highly sensitive competitive materials, including business, trade-secret or proprietary information. The parties to this case and third parties have produced confidential information in discovery, the public disclosure of which could affect legitimate business interests.
- 2. To protect the confidentiality of this information, the parties agreed to a Stipulated Protective Order, entered in this litigation on August 26, 2010 (D.I. 46, the "Order"). The Order allows the parties or third parties to designate information as "Confidential" or "Highly Confidential," and provides that a party wishing to use materials so designated in a submission filed with the Court must move pursuant to Local Rule 5.3 for leave to file the submission under seal. (Order \P ¶ 2 and 17).
- 3. By designating the Subject Material as "Highly Confidential," defendants Zydus Pharmaceuticals (USA) Inc. and Cadila Healthcare Limited (together, "Defendants") have represented that the Subject Material includes sensitive business, financial or other proprietary information, the disclosure of which would destroy the value of Defendants' information and the competitive advantage which attaches thereto. Defendants have a legitimate interest in the continued confidentiality of this information.
- 4. Absent an order sealing the Subject Material, Takeda cannot include the confidential information in support of its Motions In Limine without wholly disregarding

Defendants' designation. The omission of this confidential information from Takeda's motions would significantly limit Takeda's ability to adequately advocate for its position.

- 5. Upon consideration of the papers submitted in support of the motion, and the material sought to be sealed, the Court concludes that Takeda has met its burden under Local Civil Rule 5.3(c) and applicable case law, and that this material should be sealed.
 - 6. Specifically, the Court concludes that:
- (a) the Subject Material contains information concerning the business or financial information of Defendants that Defendants have designated "Highly Confidential";
- (b) the parties have a legitimate interest in maintaining the confidentiality of the Subject Material;
- (c) the omission of the Subject Material from Takeda's Motions *In Limine*, would significantly limit Takeda's ability to advocate for its position; and
 - (d) there is no less restrictive alternative to the relief sought.

THEREFORE, it is on this 24 day of 0ctober, 2012

ORDERED that this Motion to Seal, pursuant to Local Rule 5.3 is hereby granted; and

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk is hereby directed to seal the Subject

Material.

Hon. Tonianne J. Bongiovanni, U.S.M.J.

It is justles ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court terminate the aporementioned motion [Wocket Entry No. 238], accordingly.

The Court is aware that any interested suson has until Morember 5,2012 to more to interesse with respect to this motion to feal. This order in no to more to interesse with respect to the motion to feal. This order in no to more to interesse, when prejudices that right. Should an interested person timely more to interesse, when shall receive mine its findings at that time.